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*CITY OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.*

VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

**Municipal By Law for the Destruction of Thistles.**

We, the Mayor and Councillors of the City of Victoria, British Columbia, in Council convened by virtue of the power and authority vested in us by an act entitled 'The Victoria Municipal Ordinance, 1867, and 'The Victoria Municipal Amendment Ordinance, 1869.'

Whereas great injury and loss have been and are occasioned to the lands within the limits of the City of Victoria by the spread of the plant known as the Thistle, and it is desirable that measures be taken to prevent its further diffusion.

Be it therefore enacted by the said Mayor and Council that from and after the passing of this By-Law, as follows:—

1. If at any time after the passing of this By-Law any owner, lessee or occupier of land within the limits of the City of Victoria aforesaid, upon which land any of the plants commonly known as the Thistle shall be growing, shall not within seven days after any notice in writing that such Thistles are growing upon such land signed by the Mayor of the City of Victoria shall have been served upon such owner, lessee or occupier, or left for him at his usual or last known place of abode, effectually destroy all of the said plants so known as the Thistle then growing and being upon such land, every such owner, lessee or occupier being convicted thereof shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding Twenty-five dollars [$25] and not less than Five dollars [$5], and such penalty may be recovered and the matter thereof heard and determined by a Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices of the Peace in a summary way

Provided that it shall be lawful for any such Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices to suspend any conviction upon its being proved to his or their satisfaction that the person so receiving such notice has used and is using reasonable exertions to destroy such plants. Provided further that no information shall be laid against any owner of such lands until the provisions of this By-law shall have been enforced against the occupier or lessee of such land upon which such Thistles may or shall be found. Provided further that no second information against such owner, occupier or lessee shall be laid within thirty days after any previous conviction.

2. If there shall be no occupier or lessee of any such land, or such occupier or lessee or the owner of such land shall be unknown or absent from the Colony, and such occupier, lessee or owners shall have no known agent resident in the Colony, then such notice as aforesaid may be affixed in some conspicuous place upon such land and shall also be published in some newspaper circulating in the said city, and every notice so affixed and published shall be deemed and taken to be sufficient notice to the occupier, lessee or owner of such land from the time of its being so affixed and published.

Provided that it shall not be necessary for any such last mentioned notice to specify the name of any person, lessee or owner of the land therein referred to, and provided also that no owner of any land shall be liable to any payment beyond the expense of and occasioned by the destruction and eradication of the Thistles growing, and being upon such land as hereinafter provided together with costs of suit by reason merely of any notice having been so affixed as last aforesaid. Provided that such notice shall contain a description of the particular portion of such land intended to be affected thereby.

3. If any such owner, lessee or occupier shall for the space of seven days refuse or neglect to destroy the Thistles specified in any such notice, it shall and may be lawful for any person authorized in writing in that behalf by the Mayor to destroy and eradicate the same, and for that purpose with sufficient assistants to enter upon any such lands in respect whereof any such notice shall have been given as aforesaid, and the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria shall be entitled to recover from such owner, lessee or occupier the expense of and attending such destruction and eradication, such expenses to be assessed and allowed by a Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices of the Peace together with costs of suit, by action or plaint in any court of competent jurisdiction, or by proceedings in a summary manner before a Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices, as if such amount had been a pecuniary penalty awarded by such Stipendiary Magistrate or two Justices and which action plaint or proceedings may be commenced, instituted, had and taken in the name of the Clerk of the Municipal Council of the City of Victoria.

4. It shall be lawful for any person authorized in writing in that behalf by the Mayor of the City of Victoria without notice to enter upon any such lands, whether enclosed or not for the purpose of ascertaining if any such Thistles are growing, and being thereupon, and no such person shall be deemed a trespasser by reason of such entry, or be liable for any damage thereby occasioned unless the same was occasioned by such person wilfully and without necessity.

5. Upon complaint being duly made to the Mayor that any such Thistles are suspected to be growing or are growing upon any such land, the said Mayor shall make an order in writing for some person to enter upon such land to search and ascertain if there are any such Thistles growing, and being thereupon, or as the case may be, shall sign such notice to the owner or occupier of any such land as hereinafter provided, and also upon being satisfied that such Thistles are growing and that such notice has been served or left, or affixed and advertised as herein provided, shall make an order for the destruction and eradication of any such Thistles as aforesaid growing and being upon any such land by some person to be named in such order, the expense of which shall be recoverable as hereinbefore provided.

6. The expenses of and attending any such destruction and eradication of the plants commonly known as the Thistle when adjudged, assessed or allowed, as hereinbefore is mentioned, if the same shall be unpaid, unrecovered or unsatisfied thereafter for a period of Thirty days, shall together with all costs, if any, and the costs of registration hereinafter mentioned, bear interest until paid at the rate of eighteen dollars per cent per annum, and together with all such costs and all interest accrued and thenceforth to accrue shall be registered as a charge against the land in respect of which, or of the owners, lessees or occupiers whereof such expenses and monies were so adjudged assessed and allowed as aforesaid and a certificate under the hand of the Mayor stating the amount so adjudged, assessed or allowed, unrecovered and unsatisfied, and describing the said last mentioned land, shall be a sufficient authority to the Registrar General of Titles of British Columbia to effect such registration, and upon a like certificate of payment the said registration shall be cancelled.

7. All monies recoverable under this By-law shall be paid over and appropriated in the manner described in 'The Municipal Fines Ordinance, 1870.'

8. In the construction of this By-law the words 'the plant' commonly known as 'the Thistle,' and the word 'Thistle' shall be held to include all plants commonly known by the name of Thistles, and shall also be held to include the plants known by the Botanical names of 'Cardnus Palustris,' 'Cardnus Marianus,' 'Cardnus Benedictus,' 'Cardnus Lanceolatus,' 'Onopordum Acanthium,' and 'Xanthium Spinosum.'

9. This By-law may be cited for all purposes as 'The Byslaw for destroying Thistles, 1870.'

Passed the Municipal Council the 16th day of July, A. D. 1870.

JAMES TRIMBLE, Mayor.

WM. LEIGH, Clerk to Municipal Council.

Confirmed and allowed this Twenty-third day of July, A. D. 1870.

A. MUSGRAVE, Governor.

## Notices.

NOTICE.

ON AND AFTER THE 1st. INST. THE cost of sending letters through our Express to any part of the United States will be Twelve and a half Cents (12½ cts.) per Half ounce. WELLS, FARGO & CO.

Victoria, July 1 1870. jy1

THE STEAMER ALIDA

THE UNDERSIGNED SHIP CARPENTERS, lately employed on Messrs Bridge & Gowlay's Shipyard and passengers on the steamer ALIDA, since the addition of the spon-one, certify that the steamer acted in every way seaworthy and is deserving the confidence of the travelling public.

JOHN C McDONALD,
CHAS MOORE,
GEO FRASER,
DANIEL WEAPENERLY,
JOSIAH HAYNES,
JAMES HODGSON,
PETER C. URQUHART,
JOHN JORMAN,
BARNABUS ARBUCKLE,

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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS OR demands on the estate of the late CHARLES BLAW, Esquire, of Richfield, British Columbia, deceased, are requested to furnish the same to me with in the undersigned, and all persons indebted to or having any property of the said deceased are desired forthwith to pay or deliver the same to THOS. ALLOTT,

Government street, Victoria, V.I.

Attorney in fact and Agent for Capt. W. A. MOUATT, The Executor.

Dated Victoria, V I, 19th July, 1870. jy20

NOTICE

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I will only accept COIN for RENTS as well as other payments to be made to me.

jy30 L. LOWENBERG

NOTICE.

ALL CLAIMS AGAINST THE TRUSTEES of the Estate of Spratt & Kriemler must be handed in at the office of The Albion Iron Works by Tuesday evening, July 12, 1870; after that date they will not be allowed. EDGAR MARVIN, } Trustees
J. ROBERTS IN STEWART }

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BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE.

THE RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED upon Deposit Receipts issued by this Bank from this date will be as follows:

Deposits for 12 months, 5 per cent. per annum.
Deposits for 6 months, 4 per cent. per annum.

W. C. WARD, Manager.

Victoria, July 19, 1870.

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San Juan Island Lime Company.

LIME FROM THE ABOVE WELL KNOWN Kiln—in any quantity—can now be obtained at the LOWEST MARKET RATES, on application to

N. C. BAILEY, Langley st, Victoria,

or to

MR THOMAS MASKEY, on the Island.

Victoria, June 8, 1870. jul2 6m

MRS. HAYWARD (late of Angola College) respectfully informs her former patrons and friends that she will receive Young Ladies for tuition at her Residence, Fort street, on and after Monday, May 2d je30

FOUR MILE HOUSE,

CRAIGFLOWER ROAD.

PETER CALVERT (LATE OF ESQUIMALT) having leased these premises will furnish the BEST ACCOMMODATIONS to be found anywhere in the Colony outside of Victoria.

Lunches at all Hours.

BOATING and PICNIC PARTIES will find Calvert's the place wherein they may obtain polite attention and First Class Refreshment.

jy23 1m PETER CALVERT.

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Cheap and Healthy Beverage

FOR THE

WARM WEATHER,

Only ONE DOLLAR per GALLON.

THE BEST FRENCH PRELLER

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For Sale at

C. ROSSER'S STORES,

And delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the Town.

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THAT SUBURBAN RESIDENCE situate on the esquimalt Road, opposite the Club House, lately occupied by Col. Foster, together with Out-Houses, Stabling, Dairy, Garden, and two fine Wells of water. For further particulars and terms apply to J. P. DAVIES & CO,

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SEWING MACHINE.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE RECEIVED per Steamer PELICAN an assortment of the above Sewing Machines, which they offer to the public at an extraordinary LOW FIGURE,

$20 and Upwards!

For Cheapness, Simplicity, Efficiency and Durability they cannot be surpassed.

Every Family in British Columbia can afford one. Call and examine them.

A & W WILSON.

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New Photographic Views

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And Views taken with the greatest care and in the best style of Photographic Art, and warranted to give satisfaction.

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VICTORIA, B.C. jn18 1m

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JOHNSON & CO, - - PROPRIETORS,

[Late of the Lick House.]

JOHNSON & CO., WHO FOR THE LAST six years have been the popular Proprietors of the Lick House, with pleasure inform their many friends in Victoria and British Columbia that they have left the Lick House and opened the GRAND HOTEL, which is the finest Hotel structure yet erected on the Pacific Coast, and is not surpassed in architectural beauty, elegance of Furniture and Comfort by any Hotel in America.

Our old patrons will find at the Grand Hotel all the familiar faces, and all Guests recommended to us will be received with the same courtesy and politeness and unobtrusive attention to their wants, which made the Lick House so popular when under their control. With many thanks for past favors we respectfully solicit a continuance of the same. jy23 3m

Temperance Hotel,

BRICK BUILDING, COR FORT AND DOUGLAS STREETS

VICTORIA, B. C.

S. HOSKING, - - PROPRIETOR.

THIS BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED AND well Furnished Establishment is open for the reception of Guests, where the public generally and ESPECIALLY FAMILIES, will find every comfort of a well conducted house.

THE TABLE is supplied with the Best the Market affords.

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| Board and Lodging per Week | $6 00 & $7 00 |
| Board and Lodging per Day | 1 00 |
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THEO. H. DAVIES,

[LATE JANION, GREEN & CO.,]

Importer and Commission Merchant,

AGENT FOR

Lloyd's and the Liverpool Underwriters,

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H. CHING FUN—A CARD.—EDITOR British Colonist:—Through the medium of your paper I want to state the very great good that has been done me by Dr Ching Fun of this city, next door to Kwong, Lee & Co. For 24 years I suffered with neuralgia on the brain, which boiled the skin of three bottles of American physicians. Latterly bronchitis attacked my right lung, and my eyes became awfully inflamed. Despairing of ever being cured I placed myself as a last resort in the hands of Dr Ching Fun, and after five months' treatment I am a well man and feel that I cannot sound the eminent Chinese gentleman's praises too loudly, so that all my countrymen similarly affected may visit him and find relief. Respectfully,

JOHN HENTON, of Kentucky, U.S

Victoria, 3d August, 1869 jy4

L. D. LOWENBERG

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Government street, near corner of Broughton

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Money on bond and mortgage to loan, in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable charges. jy14 1y

Picnic and Pleasure Grounds.

THE SUBSCRIBER BEGS TO INFORM the inhabitants of Victoria that he has been favored by Mr Thos H Williams to open his

BEAUTIFUL GROUNDS,

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TEA, PICNIC & PLEASURE PARTIES.

There will be every accommodation as regards Amusements found upon the Grounds,

Swings, Merry-go-Rounds, and a Spacious Platform for Dancing.

TEA & PICNIC PARTIES will be supplied with Refreshment (if required) upon reasonable terms.

HENRY HENLEY,

jul4 3m Clover Point.

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VICTORIA, B.C.

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THE MOST COMMODIOUS & CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the fair pay principle. The Table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining rooms for Families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per week, $5 50 to $6 50; Board and Lodging per day, $1; Single Meals, 37½ cents; Beds 50 cents.

TERMS—Cash in Advance

☞ A Fire-proof Safe in the House. ☜ je18 3m

BEACON HILL HOTEL.

THIS BEAUTIFULLY SITUATED Villa Hotel on the

BEACON HILL RACE COURSE

And SEA SHORE of

VICTORIA, VANCOUVER ISLAND,

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THE TABLE

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BEST FAMILY HOTEL IN THE COLONY.

JOHN J. MURPHY, Proprietor.

Victoria, B C, May 19, 1870. my16 3m

ALHAMBRA HALL

Frank Richards

HAVING LEASED THE PREMISES known as Alhambra Hall, corner of Yates and Government street, will keep only the

Best Ales, Wines, Liquors & Cigars

And solicits the patronage of the Victoria public and the BOYS FROM CARIBOO AND OMINECA.

Alhambra Hall is the Largest and Finest on the North Pacific

And has been fitted up with especial reference to the accommodation of Theatrical and Musical Performances. Parties and Balls and may be secured on reasonable terms

ELEGANT DRESSING ROOMS

Are provided for lady and gentlemen guests, who will find there every convenience

my10 3m RICHARDS & NICHOLL.

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A good SKITTLE ALLEY attached to the premises

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ap16 6m WM SELLECK

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| Board & Lodging, per Week | $7 00 |
| Board, per Week | 6 00 |
| Board & Lodging per Day | 1 00 |
| Single Meals | 37 |

Every attention given to the comfort of Boarders

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St. Nicholas Hotel,

Government Street,

VICTORIA, V. I

This Establishment

Is now Open for the Reception of Guests

And is recommended to the Travelling Public as a

FIRST-CLASS HOTEL.

THE ROOMS HAVE ALL BEEN

REFURNISHED,

And particular attention is paid to

CLEANLINESS AND GOOD ORDER

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The Rates of Charges are as follows:

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| Board and Lodging per Week | $5 to $6 50 |
| " per Day | $1 00 |
| Single Meals | 37½ |
| Beds | 50 |

Attached to the HOTEL is a BAR, where the best of WINES, SPIRITS, and CIGARS will be found.

☞ A Fire-proof Safe in the House.

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THIS HOUSE IS CENTRALLY LOCATED, and having been renovated and refitted, the undersigned is now prepared to furnish the traveling public, Boarders and Families with good accommodation, MODERATE RATES.

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| BOARD AND LODGING PER WEEK | $6 50 |
| BOARD PER WEEK | 5 00 |
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may4 3m T. H. LINER

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| FLOUR, | CREAM, |
| BACON, | LARD, |
| BUTTER, | BASKET |
| GROCERIES, &c., &c. | |

I flatter myself that purchasers will find it to their advantage to give me a call

☞ GRAIN, FLOUR, &c., at Wharf Prices.

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—BY—

Holloway's Ointment.

This wonderful Ointment acts like magic in relieving old sores, wounds, bad legs, ulcers and eruptions of the skin; when rubbed on the surface it penetrates and purifies each tissue on its passage, and exerts the most wholesome influence over the internal structure; it heals by cleansing all morbid fluids with which it comes in contact and thereby promotes a sound and permanent cure.

Gout and Rheumatism.

To sufferers from the racking pains of Rheumatism and Gout this ointment will prove invaluable. After fomentation with warm water the soothing action of this Ointment is most remarkable; it seems at once to lessen inflammation, ease pain, reduce the swelling, restore natural circulation, and expels the disease. For the above complaints Holloway's Ointment and Pills are infallible spe

Diptheria, Bronchitis, Sore Throats, Coughs and Colds

No case of disease can be cured by well rubbing the Ointment two times a day, upon the throat of the back of the neck and chest. It will soon penetrate and give immediate relief. In all stages of Influenza, Colds and Bronchitis, this treatment may be followed with confidence and safety—indeed, it has never been known to fail.

All Varieties of Skin Diseases, Scrofula and Scurvy.

This Ointment is a certain cure for Ringworm, Scurvy Scrofula or King's Evil, and the most inveterate skin diseases to which the human race is subject. They cannot be treated with a safer or more speedy remedy than Holloway Ointment, assisted by his celebrated Pills which act powerfully on the constitution and so purify the blood that these disorders are completely eradicated from the system, and a lasting cure obtained

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Piles, Fistulas, and Internal Inflammation.

These complaints are most distressing to both body and mind, as no delicacy concealing them from the knowledge of the most intimate friends. Persons suffer for years from Piles and similar complaints when they might use Holloway's Ointment with instant relief, and effect a perfect cure without the annoyance of explaining their symptoms to anyone.

Disorders of the Kidneys, Stone and Gravel

Are immediately relieved and ultimately cured if the Ointment be well rubbed twice a day, into the small of the back, over the regions of the kidneys; to which it will readily penetrate and in almost every case give immediate relief; but perseverance will be necessary to obtain a thorough cure.

Both the Ointment and Pills should be used in the following cases:—

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| Bad Legs | Cancers, | Scalds, |
| Co Breasts, | Contracted and | Sore Nipples, |
| Burns, | Stiff Joints, | Sore Throats, |
| Bunions | Elephantiasis, | Skin Diseases |
| Bite of Musquetoe and Sand Flies, | Fistulas, | Scurvy, |
| Coco-bay, | Glandular | Sore Heads, |
| Chiego-foot, | Tumours, | Tumours, |
| Chiegoe-foot, | Lumbago, | Ulcers, |
| Chiegoe-foot, | Piles, | Wounds |
| Chapped Hands, | Rheumatism, | Yaws |
| Corns, (Soft) | | |

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☞ There is a considerable saving by taking the large size.

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DINNEFORD'S SOLUTION OF MAGNESIA.

DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA

Is the great remedy for

Acidity of the Stomach, Headache, Heartburn, Indigestion, Sour Eructations and Bilious Affections;

IT IS THE PHYSICIAN'S GUIDE FOR GOUT, RHEUMATIC GOUT,

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And as a safe and gentle medicine for Infants, Children, Delicate Females, and for the Sickness of Pregnancy Dinneford's Magnesia is indispensable.

Sold by all Druggists and Storekeepers.

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jy26 LONDON MARKET.

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TUESDAY, 2D AUGUST. jy26

## New Advertisements.

VICTORIA MARKET,

Johnson Street.

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OF OUR OWN CURING THIS SEASON

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SMOKED TONGUES, HEAD CHEESE, SMOKED BEEF, &c

FRESH MEATS of all kinds constantly on hand, Wholesale and Retail, at reasonable rates, and delivered in all parts of the city free of charge

je25 JOHN MURRAY.

JOHN WEILER,

Beehive, Corner Fort and Broad Streets,

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Stock of Crockery,

COMPRISING:—Toilet Sets, Jam Jars, Pudding Bowls, Soup and Sauce Tureens, Gold-edged Chian Cups, Plates, &c.

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Finely Cleared Cut Decanters and Claret Jugs, Dishes, Wine Glasses, Tumblers, Celery Stands, &c, &c

Silverware

Cruets of Elegant Styles, Tea and Coffee Pots, Teddy Stands, Cream Jugs, Drum Finskin, Forks, and Spoons, &c

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From 3-4 yds to 4 yds in Width

Brass Cornices & Poles

ALSO ALWAYS ON HAND.

A Fine Assortment of Wall Paper, Tinting for Walls, Mattresses, Carpets, Pictures, Hollands, Damasks, Furniture, Lounges, and a general assortment of Upholstery Goods,

ALSO—All sorts of UPHOLSTERY WORK DONE, at Making and Repairing Mattresses, Lounges.

CARPETS Sewed and Laid. WALL-PAPER Hung at Reasonable Rates.

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PHARMACEUTICAL CHEMISTS, &C

YATES STREET,

HAVE LATELY RECEIVED FROM Europe,

Kananga, the new and most agreeable Toilet Water, prepared from the Flowers of Japan,

J. M. Farlon's Eau de Cologne,
Miranda, Ylangylang and Macassar Oil,
Yardley's Glycerine and Lime Juice,
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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Sunday Morning, July 31, 1870.

## The War.

If the fragmentary and for the most part contradictory news which is coming over the lines in such wild profusion can be taken as a warranty for any conclusion it would appear to be this, that the French army, with its headquarters at Strasbourg, has definitely selected Metz for its base of operations; that the Prussian Army, with its headquarters at Mayence or Mentz has selected Coblentz as its base of operations; and that the valley of the Moselle will be the great battle-ground. Having placed the two armies, it may be worth while to reconnoitere their relative positions; and this can be done with the greater satisfaction in view of the complete immunity from all risk of being arrested as a spy or shot down as a newspaper correspondent. Strasbourg is a strongly fortified city on the eastern frontier of France. It stands on the bank of the Ill, near the left bank of the Rhine, to which its glacis extends and across which it communicates with Kehl (in Baden) by means of a bridge of boats. The fortified city is of triangular form, enclosed by bastioned ramparts, and entered by seven gates. At its Eastern extremity is a strong pentagonal citadel, and by means of sluices the adjacent country may be laid under water. Formerly the capital of the province of Alsace, it is now the capital of the Bas-Rhine, and has a population of about eighty-five thousand. Metz is another strongly fortified city of France, and is the capital of the Department of Moselle, standing, as it does, at the conflux of the Moselle and Seille and at the head of a branch of the railway from Paris to Strasbourg. It is 170 miles from Paris, and about 80 miles west-north-west of Strasburg. Metz is regarded as one of the strongest and most important places in France; and its esplanade is accounted one of the finest promenades in Europe. It has an arsenal, one of the largest in France, with a cannon foundry, and an armory containing about, 180,000 stand of arms, and a military hospital capable of receiving 1800 patients. Its population is now about sixty thousand. Crossing over to the Prussian side, Mayence or Mentz is a city of Hesse-Darmstadt, capital of Rheinshessen. It stands on the left bank of the Rhine, opposite the mouth of the Main, and 20 miles W.S.W. of Frankfort, with which it is connected by railway. It is a fortress of the German Confederation, and usually has a garrison of 8000 men. Rising gradually from the Rhine in the form of an amphitheatre, it is walled in, flanked with bastions, and defended by a citadel and several forts and outworks. A bridge of boats, about 1500 feet long, connects it with its suburb of Castel, near which the river forms an island, on which considerable fortifications have been erected. The house, or rather the site of the house of John Gen fleisch, better known as Gutenberg, the inventor of movable types, constitutes not the least interesting object in the city. Mayence owes its foundation to a Roman camp, pitched there by Drusus. It is regarded as a very strong military position, and has a population of about forty-five thousand. Coblentz or Cobienz is a fortified city of Rhenish Prussia, situated on the left bank of the Rhine where it receives the waters of the Moselle. It is about 40 miles N.W. of Mayence, and a little over 100 miles N.N.E. of Metz. The Rhine is crossed by means of a bridge of boats, 485 yards long, and the Moselle is crossed by a stone bridge 536 yards in length. At Ehrenbreitstein, on the opposite bank of the Rhine, there is a strong fortress, with 400 pieces of cannon, and containing immense cisterns capable of holding three years' supply of water. The fortifications of Coblentz, of which those on the opposite bank form mere outworks, cost nearly four million dollars, and they are estimated to be capable of accommodating one hundred thousand men, with magazines sufficient to contain ten years' provisions for eight thousand men. Coblentz is regarded as the strongest military position within the whole Prussian dominions. It is a free port, and carries on an extensive trade by the Rhine, Moselle and Lahn. Its population, exclusive of the garrison, is about 30,000. Such are the positions taken up by the two great armies preparing for battle on the banks of the Rhine, and it will have been seen that two stronger or more equal positions could scarcely have been selected. Whether the relative prowess of the two contending armies may be as nearly balanced as their strategic positions are equal is a question that must abide the more practical test of battle. We have said that the valley of the Moselle will, in all probability, be the great battlefield; for even should French arms be victorious in the first instance, it will be no easy task to push across the Rhine with such positions as Mayence and Coblentz opposing. It must be remembered, too, that the French army would be placed at a great disadvantage on leaving French territory. Having made an active enemy of the 'cockpit of Europe,' the Belgians would attack its left, while in front it would have two of the strongest fortresses in central Europe, and the whole line of the Prussian army along the banks of the Rhine to contend with. The Moselle takes its rise in France and runs 300 miles in a N. N. E direction, emptying into the Rhine at Coblentz. Upon its right bank, about midway between Metz and Coblentz, and a few miles from the frontier, stands Treves, an ancient city of Rhenish Prussia, with a civil and military population of about 22,000. Treves, although not large, is the most ancient, and one of the most celebrated cities in Germany. It was the residence of Constantine the Great and other Roman Emperors, and was for a long time the capital of the archbishopric of Cleves, and of a German electorate. In the 18th century it was five times taken by the French! Treves is the only place of any great importance in the valley of the Moselle, between Metz and Coblentz. But if the only road to Prussia lay through the valley of the Moselle there would be little cause of alarm. It is from the north that Prussia has most to fear, as it is through the rivers Ems, Weser and Elbe that France will most effectually pierce her. On the Weser, forty miles from its mouth stands Bremen, a commercial city of considerable importance, with a population of 75,000, while on the Elbe, seventy miles from the sea, stands the famous city of Hamburg, with its hoarded wealth, and a population exceeding a quarter of a million. These are Prussia's weak points, and if she cannot check the French Fleet on its way thither she may well tremble in the north.

## By Electric Telegraph.

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

## LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

### Europe.

LONDON, July 28—Edouard About will replace Paradol in the French Academy and possibly as Minister to Washington.

The Bank of England has just raised the rate of interest to five per cent.

Many additional failures are announced. Yesterday there were seven failures at the Stock Exchange in this city and at the Cotton Market, Liverpool.

Yesterday was observed quite generally as a day of fasting and prayer at Bremen and Hamburg. Business was nearly or entirely suspended.

ST PETERSBURG, July 28—The Russian force in Poland has been increased to 200,000 men, including the Imperial regiment on guard.

Stocks are firm.

MADRID, July 28—Indignation at Grammont's aspersions of the Cortes is unabated and serves to divert the sympathy of many from France.

PARIS, July 28—The *Journal Officiale* contains correspondence from St Petersburg in which it is said that Russia does not sympathise with Prussia. Russia wishes to make Prussia take the Baltic and attack the independence of Denmark and half of Germany.

It is reported here that several American officers desire to follow the French army in the campaign against Prussia for the purpose of making observations for the use of the American Government, and petitions were lately filed with Government for the necessary permission, but the request was declined, the military authorities of the Empire saying that no foreign officer however high his rank will be permitted to follow the French army.

The Emperor left St Cloud to-day by special train for Metz, accompanied by Prince Napoleon.

Gaulois publishes a report that a continental alliance has been concluded between France and Italy. The new treaty stipulates that in case of certain events France is to pay Italy sixty million francs and leave her free to make some capital in the kingdom.

Advices from Rome represent that the Pope accepts as inevitable the evacuation of Rome by the French troops.

The French Government has received official notification of the neutrality of Denmark.

LONDON, July 28—The Belgian camp at Bevertoo has been broken up and the troops distributed among the frontier fortresses.

The House of Lords was crowded to-night to hear the statement of the Government's position in the present war. Granville said the Government was embarrassed by explosive material lying all around with matches ready lighted, efforts to extinguish which had been useless, though Lord Lyons had been able to hold back a declaration of war for five days. In presence of this war England had but one duty and that was to observe a strict neutrality. Malmesbury and Russel approved the attitude and action of the Government. War was wholly needless and inexcusable. Parliament would certainly sustain Government in its policy of neutrality, and await an opportunity for interference.

Count Bismarck in a dispatch to the North German Ambassador to England confirms the authenticity of the secret treaty published in the *Times*.

LATER—Everything indicates that an important engagement must take place within 3 days. The Prussians are concentrating between Treves and Mayence, on the river Saar. They have 400,000 men, with rather too much cavalry to forage for. In the opposing force there are about 300,000 men. Great excitement was caused in the Darches Principality by a rumor that the people are preparing to make use of the opportunity to regain their independence.

NEW YORK, July 28—Special correspondence from Berlin to-day says a Royal decree has been issued calling for marine volunteers to defend the Prussian coast. Premiums of various rates have been offered, some of them as high as 500 thalers, it is supposed to induce desertions from foreign vessels.

BERLIN, July 28—The French employ American agents to buy arms at Liege, under pretence that they are for the U S.

FRANKFORT, July 28—U S securities higher—closed at 79¼.

PARIS, July 28—The Emperor arrived at 4 P M at Metz, where the Imperial headquarters are established. A proclamation to the army will be issued to-morrow.

### California.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 28—The North German bark Gasselli from Bordeaux arrived to-day. The only German vessels en route to this port and liable to seizure are the ships Jackin Christyn from Yokohama, ships Herman and Emma 107 days from Hamburg, bark Mercedes 59 days from Hamburg, ship Arracan 25 days from Hamburg, ship Charles Luling, 51 days from Newcastle, ship Caroline 158 days from Shields.

Gen George H Ihrie is ordered to report at Washington by letter. It is rumored that he will be ordered to the Department of Columbia, with headquarters at Portland.

Deputy U S Marshal Teave arrived in this city to-day from North Santa Cruz, having in custody five men, Browder, McKean, Brown, Jones and Martin, charged with wilfully cutting timber on government land. They will be examined before United States Commissioner Sawyer.

Only two vessels are now loading wheat at this port for Europe, and no new charters this week.

Private dispatches announce heavy failures on the Stock Exchange in London.

The Germania, from Liverpool for San Francisco, 300 days out, has returned again to Rio where, at last dates, she was undergoing repairs.

Peter Donahue has tendered the Yacht Club the use of the steamer Saramento for the regatta on August 6th.

Stocks closed this evening quite active, but lower under the continued hammering by the bears.

A number of leading Californians have invited President Grant to visit the Pacific coast next season.

It is understood that the charts now in use between this port and Central America are dangerously inaccurate, and a special meeting of the Chamber of Commerce was held to-day to memoralize Prof. Price, of the U S Coast Survey, to recommend a reconnoitering of the coast from San Francisco to Panama, and also a revision of the charts. A resolution to that effect was unanimously adopted.

The jury disagreed in the great suit of Geo. Carter and others against L L Baker and others, for $50.000 damages for an alleged infringement of a patent on agricultural implements. The jury stood 11 for plaintiff and 1 for defendants. A large number of witnesses in the case were examined.

LOS ANGELOS, July 29—J B Long, an alleged horse thief, was shot yesterday by a policeman while attempting to escape.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29—The police are arresting and bringing in prostitutes by dozens this evening. The coin deposits of bail from them last night, forfeited to-day amounts to $3.000.

George Francis Train is having poor success at his lecture this evening, having an audience very much inclined to jeer him, and most of his propositions are voted down.

The Chicago Zouaves, who first became famous under the command of Colonel Ellsworth, have received an invation from the San Francisco Cadets to visit here as their guests and to enter into a competitive drill with the Cadets. The Zouaves expect to start as soon as the weather becomes sufficiently cool to make traveling pleasant.

The divorce suit of Wm Lane Booker, brother of the British Consul here, against Augusta Booker, was referred to the Court Commissioners of the Fourth District Court to-day.

President Grant has written to Geo. W. Bent, intimating his intention of making a visit at an early day to the Pacific coast.

This afternoon as a party of small boys were playing at French and German war one of the French generals named Connelly had an eye destroyed by the thrust of a wooden bayonet in the hands of a German soldier.

The agricultural editorial excursionist party arrived here this evening, having enjoyed their trip immensely. All are tarrying at the Occidental Hotel. They will stay eight or ten days in the State and will make the rounds of the fruit markets and wine cellars to-morrow morning.

Van Valkenberg, manager of the Atlantic and Pacific Telegraph Company, who was detected in the attempt to steal dispatches from the Associated Press at Sacramento last night, and has been held for trial, his bail being fixed at $1000.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 29—For some time past the Western Union Telegraph Co. have been aware that their dispatches from the east were being stolen at some point on their line, and sharp watch being kept the officers, came to the conclusion that the theft was being committed at Sacramento. During the night, Edward Pierson, night operator at Sacramento, discovered Frank Van Valkenburg, manager of the Atlantic and Pacific opposition line, ensconced on the balcony by the window with paper, clip and pencil in hand listening to the ticking of the instrument, readily taking down the dispatches. Pierson threw open the window and suddenly fired a pistol in the air; whereupon, Van Valkenburg attempted to jump from the balcony, but was caught before he could throw away his clips, paper and pencil, and arrested and taken to jail, where he awaits examination.

British ship Iron Crown, 180 days from Liverpool, has arrived.

Bark, Francis Palmer is telegraphed from San Blas.

Steamer Montana from Panama not yet telegraphed.

Arrived—Bark Gem of The Ocean from Free Port, bark Osmyn from Port Madison, ship John Jay from Port Blakely, bark Free Trade from Tacoma.

Cleared—Schooner W. H. Stephens for Port Madison.

Wheat—Liverpool, 11s 3d. Other eastern quotations as yesterday.

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Oats—Dull, $1 50@$1 75.

Potatoes—Steady, $1 40.

Rice—Good. $2 10.

### Eastern States.

WASHINGTON, July 28—Comparative statements of internal revenue receipts show the aggregate for the fiscal 15 months of the recent administration to be be $50,657 greater than for the last 15 months of the preceding. The amount collected for 15 months prior to the 1st June was $276,222-344.

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New Advertisements.

NOTICE.

THE UNDERSIGNED WITHDRAWS from the management of the ALBION IRON WORKS from this date. J. KRIEMLER.
Victoria, July 30th, 1870. jy31

Albion Iron Works.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURchased the business of the ALBION IRON WORKS, the same will be carried on in all its branches under the management of Mr JOSEPH SPRATT.
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jy31 WILLIAM IRVING.

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NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS RECENTLY CARRIED on by the undersigned as Trustees for the Creditors of J Spratt and J Kriemler, under an assignment to them dated 12th of April, 1866, has been disposed of to Capt. William Irving, who has purchased the book-debts and stock in connection therewith.
The undersigned hereby intimate that their connection with the business has ceased.
J. ROBERTSON STEWART,
jy31 1m EDGAR MARVIN.

NOTICE.

JAMES CRAWFORD, OF SEATTLE, W. T., has been appointed Administrator of the Estate of the late J W Waitt, and to him all debts due the same must be paid and claims against the same submitted. jy24 1w

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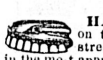

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Brandy—Hennessy, Martell, Otard, Dupuy & Co's, and Renault's Fine Brandies in quarter casks
Do Do in cases
Sherry—Fine quality and medium, in quarter casks
Port—Do Do Do
Whiskies—Fine old Scotch and Irish, in quarter casks and cases
Old Tom Gin—In cases, of extra quality
Rum—In hogsheads
Champagne—Reinart Pere et Fils, celebrated Carte Blanche Brand in pints and quarts

For Sale in quantities to Suit, IN BOND OR DUTY PAID.

JANION, RHODES & CO.
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BARNARD'S EXPRESS LINE STAGES.

THE FARE FROM YALE TO SODA Creek is reduced to..... $45 00
From YALE to BARKERVILLE, ..... 60 00
Through to Soda Creek in 4 Days
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" Barkerville 6 "

Extra Stages laid on when required.
Passengers by Regular Stage must leave Victoria by RIDAY'S "ENTERPRISE."
ju22 F. J. BARNARD.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS HERETOFORE CARried on under the name of S P Moody & Co will be carried on from and after this date, under the name and style of Moody, Dietz & Nelson.
S P MOODY,
GEO. DIETZ,
HUGH NELSON.
Lumar dinlet, British Columbia, July 1, 18[illegible] jy1

# THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Sunday Morning, July 31, 1870.


## Shipping Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

July 30—None

CLEARED

July 30—Sip Native, Collins, West Coast

### GOODS ON THE WAY.

Per bark CORSAIR, from London—42hfs, 26bbls, 50cs beer, 235cs, 2hgs, 10cks wines and spirits, 16cs groceries, 2cs books, 156cs oilman's stores, 1cs furniture, 300kegs paint, 2cs engravings, 6cs saddlery, 36cs, 33cales, dry goods, 7cs hardware, 16cs apparel, 48cs agril implts, 22cs drugs, 3cs glass bottles, 11cs matches, 6cs effects, 50bxs candles, 1cs excussion caps, 20,000 bricks, 1900bgs salt, 2cs haberdashery, 7cs provisions, 20crts earthenware.

### CONSIGNEES.

Per bark CORSAIR, fm London—Findlay & Durham, J H Turner & Co, Sproat & Co, Roscoe, Tye & Co, E Stamp, H Nathan, jr & Co, H B Co, Jonion, Rhodes & Co, Vancouver Coal Co, Guy Huston, Edgar Marvin, T L Stahlschmidt, Langley & Co, Moore & Co, P McQuade, Millard & Beedy.

### Auction Sales To-morrow.

J P DAVIES & CO.....Wharf street.....Will sell at 11 at salesrooms, General Merchandise, Furniture, Large Organ, Clothing, Clocks, &c.

### REMOVAL.

The offices of the Daily and Weekly British Colonist have been removed to Smith's Building, Government street, where orders may be left.

CARIBOO ITEMS.—We have the *Sentinel* of the 23d July. The Downey, Dutch Bill, Sixtoed Pete and McLaren companies are all paying. The lastnamed washed up 115 oz for part of a week. The Barker co have struck pay again, and the Foster-Campbell co. made $170 over expenses for the week. In Stout gulch the Jenkins co. got 70 oz and the Taffvale 59 oz for the week. The reports from Walker, Valley Mountain, French, Grouse, Antler, Pine, Black Bear, and Eagle creeks are good. The Black Bull co., on Lowhee creek, will procure a steam engine to work their ground. The astonishing yield of the Lightning claim on Lightning creek, continues. In one week the claim paid 405 oz. and several other companies are approaching the lead....In the Cornish claim, William creek, Chas. Keating was caught by falling earth, which broke one of his legs above the knee....A Chinese co. working the San Francisco claim on William creek, picked from their ground sixteen nuggets of gold. One of them weighed three oz., two of them between two and three oz., and the smallest about ten dollars.... The privilege of working the canyon of William creek has been sold to Chinamen for $450....Rich surface diggings are reported to have been discovered near Jack-of Clubs lake by Doc Holloway and party.

BIG BEND.—We have news to the 15th, Mr. Reid having arrived from French Creek yesterday. There were four companies at work, the Mountain, Braley, Welsh and Cormack. The first two were making out over wages. The Welsh was raising a bed rock drain; the Cormack running a tunnel for the lead, with a prospect of striking good pay in a few days. A number of men were working at shallow diggings both at French and McCulloch's Creek, and were for the most part making wages. The markets continued to be well supplied. Along the Thompson and the Bonaparte the crops are large and excellent in quality, and harvesting was being commenced with excellent prospects. On Franquelie river 14 miners were at work, making from $2 50 to $5 a day.

A FRESH MANOUVRE.—Frequent complaints having been made to the Police authorities that canoes leaving this harbor for the north and elsewhere usually carried away large quantities of whiskey, thereby endangering the lives of setters in the outlying districts, induced Inspector Bowden and Deputy McMillan to search a canoe (lying at one of our wharves, loaded and on the point of starting for the Sound), when they found stowed away at the bottom of some trunks and covered over with baskets, wearing apparel, &c., four kegs of whiskey put up exactly resembling kegs of molasses thereby allaying all suspicion as to their contents. There is doubtless many a supposed keg of molasses which has been seen aboard canoes leaving this harbor containing nothing but Indian whiskey.

MORE SCHOOL DISTRICTS — The almost weekly erection of new School Districts may fairly be accepted as indicating healthy progress and development. The following additional Districts were announced in yesterday's *Gazette*:—

*Nanaimo District*—All that peice of land included within a circle having a radius of three miles from the Court House.

*Salt Spring Island District.*—All that piece of land known on the Official Map as Salt Spring or Admiral Island.

*Comox District.*—All that piece of land nown on the Official Map as the District of Comox.

THE EAST COAST.—The steamer Sir James Douglas arrived yesterday afternoon from Comox, Nanaimo and way ports. She brought several passengers, viz: A R Robertson and wife, Mrs Atwood, Mr Burrell and wife, Messrs Burnaby, Lockhart, Payne and five others. There has been a great deal of rain at Comox, which caused considerable damage to the hay crops but benefitted grain and potatoes. At all the other settlements the crops were in a thriving condition.

THE BUBBLE BURST.—George Francis Train, the Fenian bubble, has burst. He is lecturing at San Francisco with poor success. The audiences are small, the lecturer's remarks are jeered, and his propositions voted down. George Francis, like any other canine, has had his day.

THE mosquito nuisance is so terrible in the bottomslands of Washington Territory that many young cattle are tortured to death and cattle, generally, seek the water to escape the attacks of the pestiferous insects.

THE stock of J. L. Franklin, at New Westminster, has been assessed by three merchants and found to have cost $5933. The goods were insured for $6000. Since the result of the assessment the popular current runs strongly in favor of the accused.

THE CIRCUS.—Last evening the Nelson Troupe again appeared and in every act received a perfect ovation. The acrobatic feats of the elder Nelsons are among the finest in the world. There is a freshness and newness about everything they do—a departure from the old, beaten circusing that constitutes the chief attraction. The Fiddle Act is something surprising. The little Nelson boys are as active as cats and perform several very difficult feats. Monsieur Duvarni is the greatest living contortionist. He actually stands upon his hands and feeds himself with his feet! Talk about your india-rubber men—Duvani is india-rubber in a liquid state. Mr. Cooke, the Jester, is original and respectable in his style—so different from the low clowns who accompany circuses of this coast. His jokes are pointed, but never broad. Taken all in all, the Nelson Troupe is the best we have been favored with. There will be another performance to-morrow evening, when the prices will be reduced to 75 and 50 cents.

CRICKET MATCH.—The Victoria Junior Eleven will play the Boxer Eleven on Tuesday next, commencing at 1 o'clock p.m., at Beacon Hill. The following are the respective Elevens: Boxer—W Bridges (Captain), Hy Wheaton, Jas W London, T H Vockins, Anthy Gregory, Jno Crossley, W Emerson, Alf Eades, Jas Brown, E H Stepney, R M Colwell. Victoria Eleven—H Fry (Capatin), T Whitfield, H Price, E Nagle, D Deacey, J Tolmie, W Cameron, D Davis, W Harris, R Hall, H Tolmie.

THE LITERARY WHALE of the *Standard* is now disporting in the Government duckpond. He started on his career spouting Revolution, and will end in *blubber*-ing at the failure of his pet scheme of an ex-team wagon road. Verily, the position of our oleaginous neighbor is an extremely *trying* one.

OMINECA. — Several miners from Peace River arrived yesterday on the Otter. They give a discouraging account of matters there and say that several other shafts have been bottomed and from nothing to $2 found therein. A few companies remain to prospect.

THE Hastings Sawmill Company, limited is the title of the new company who have purchased the B. C. & V. I. mill property and will run the same under the management of Capt. Raymur, who will take immediate steps to prepare the establishment for active operations.

DIVORCE SUIT.—The British Consul at San Francisco, Mr. Booker, is seeking a divorce from his wife. Mr. Booker was married in England a very few years ago, under what appeared to be happy auspices. Infidelity on the part of the wife is the alledged cause of the suit.

EXCURSION.—It is intimated that Ben Holladay with his son-in-law Count Pourtales and his daughter, has arranged to visit Victoria and Puget Sound in the steamship Moses Taylor in a few weeks. The Taylor will lie in Esquimalt harbor.

THE steamer Otter arrived yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, having left New Westminster at 5 a.m. She brought a few passengers, among whom were Messrs. Lamb, W Wilson and J G Norris. She also brought down an express and $40.000 in gold.

ALBION IRON FOUNDRY.—Capt William Irving has purchased the book-debts and stock of the Albion Iron Foundry and will henceforth carry on the business.

TWO DRUNKS, whose cases were summarily disposed of, constituted the only business before the Police Court yesterday.

TOM, the suspected murderer of Robert Clarke, will come up for examination to-morrow.

THE CORSAIR.—We publish to-day the manifest and consigness of this bark, now over due at this port from London.

SPIRITUALISTIC.—Professor Todd lectured again last evening at the Alhambra. The attendance was meagre—Professor Cooke the circus clown, offering superior attractions.

COMING.—General Grant has intimated an intention to visit the Pacific Coast at an early date.

GAME LAW.—Deer may be killed on and after Monday; grouse on and after the 10th August.

THE Craigflower Picnic yesterday was slimly attended. The day was lowring and the 'fun' dubious.

WAGES—At Cariboo have raised to $6 per day.

THE SHELLS.—The case of Island shells was won by Mr Dally.

### Nanaimo a Most Eligible Place for a Graving Dock.

EDITOR BRITISH COLONIST:—There is some reason in a remark of your correspondent writing from Nanaimo on the subject of a drydock. It is frequently observed both by scientific and practical men who have seen it that the spot noted on Capt Richards' chart of Nanaimo harbor for a 'proposed dock' is formed as though nature had designed it for that purpose. The gentleman whose name I have used states in his 'Sailing Directions' that Nanaimo is 'a most eligible place for the construction of docks, for which it offers peculiar facilities.' The place in question has these advantages: It is easily accessible, and surrounded on all sides with a good quality and any quantity of building stone. The nature of the ground is favorable for what little excavation may be necessary, and there are already workshops intended for the business standing within one hundred feet of the premises. The expenditure for land and works would be a mere bagatelle compared with the sum asked for the Esquimalt dock, and of course as the cost of construction would be comparatively low, the rate of charges on vessels requiring the use of the dock would, as a consequence, be proportionately small—a consideration of the first importance, and one that could not fail of proving beneficial to the colony at large. Those gentlemen interested in this matter would do wisely to take a look at Nanaimo, where a Graving-Dock Company is talked of.

ECONOMIST

REMEMBER THE FATE OF ABSALOM.—Fred Payne, Tonsorial Artist, Shaving 12½ cents, Hair Cutting 25 cents, Shampooing 25 cents. That Original Cheap Shaving Shop stands on the sunny side of Johnson street.

### Rhenish Provinces.

The London *Times* of the 11th inst., in an article discussing the situation in Europe, declared that the real issue in the quarrel between France and Prussia is in the possession of left bank of the Rhine. On this subject we give the following from a California paper, which declares that the real cause of the course taken by France is the old bone of contention, the Renish Provinces:

For a century and a quarter France has been struggling to extend her northeastern frontier to the Rhine. It was one of the favorite dreams of Louis XIV., and he did succeed in touching the coveted stream. But that does not satisfy French ambition, least of all the ambition of a Bonaparte; but more especially of a Bonaparte whose interests are to be promoted by foreign war, and whose dynasty is not safe short of some glorious triumph over a peaceful neighbor. These Rhine provinces embrace about 11,000 square miles of territory and are densely peopled, rich, growing, part German, part French in language, and of a mixed religion, but chiefly Catholic. They lie on both banks of the Rhine, touching Holland and Belgium on the West, France on the South, and Nassau on and Baden the East. They are seperated from the main body of the Prussian Kingdom by Hanover and Nassau; and therefore, from geographical position, more naturally a part of France than of Prussia. But if Prussia can ever manage to consilidate and absorb South Germany as she has North, than the Hohenzollerns would have a Kingdom, including Bavaria, Wurtenburg and Baden, larger than France, richer and more populous; and it would be Protestant. But if in addition to this, a Hohenzollern reigned in Spain, then France would be held in perpetual check and have to content herself with her present boundaries, and cease to be the periodical disturber of the peace of Europe. It is well known that, notwithstanding the treaty of Prague, Prussia has been endeavoring to form alliances with Baden and Bavaria, looking upon such a union, under the military leadership of Prussia, as has already been consummated with Hanover, the Hesses and North Germany generally. This action is what gives umbrage to Napoleon.

MR. DICKENS.—Mr Charles Kent has kindly consented to our printing what is in all probility the last letter that Mr. Dickens wrote. On Thursday, when Mr. Kent went to keep the appointment, Mr Dickens was lying unconscious and was within a few hours of his death. The 'opal enjoyments' refer to the tints of the sky:—'Gad's-hill-place, Higham-by-Rochester, Kent, Wednesday June 6, 1870. My dear Kent,—To-morrow is a very bad day for me to make a call, as in addition to my usual office business, I have a mass of accounts to settle. But I hope I may be ready for you at 3 o'clock. If I can't why then I shan't be.' You must really get rid of these opal enjoyments. They are too overpowering.—'These violent delights have violent ends.' I think it was a father of your Church who made the wise remark to a young gentleman who got up early (or stayed out late) at Verona? Ever affectionately, Charles Dickens. To Charles Kent, Esq.' The pictures and other objects of art which belonged to Mr. Dickens are to be sold by auction by Messrs Christie and Manson. His library he has left to his eldest son. His manuscripts and papers are at present in the hands of his executors, Mr. Foster and Miss Hogarth. *All the Year Round* has been left to his eldest son by Mr Dickens in a codicil appended to his will only a week before his death. Mr. C. Dickens, jun., has for some time been acting editor of the journal, and in a gracefully-written address, which appears in the last number, he declares his resolution to conduct the journal in the same spirit in which his father conducted it, and aided by the contributors who have hitherto contributed to it. At the present moment it is difficult to speak with entire precision, but we are authorized to say that Mr Dickens has left the *Mystery of Edwin Drood* in a very advanced state, but that, as if he had a presentiment of his decease, he had at the outset arranged equitable terms of accommodation in case the novel were stopped before it was completed.—*Athenæum.*

IN the last novel which Mr. Dickens ever completed, and in the last paragraph of its last page, he wrote words which now posses a remarkable interest:—

'On Friday the 9th of June, in the present year, 1865. Mr. and Mrs. Boffin (in their manuscript dress of receiving Mr. and Mrs. Lammle at breakfast) were on the South-eastern Railway with me in a terribly-destructive accident. When I had done what I could to help others, I climbed back to my carriage—nearly turned over a viaduct, and caught aslant upon the turn—to extricate the worthy couple. They were much soiled, but otherwise unhurt. The same happy result attended Miss Bella Wilfer on her wedding-day, and Mr. Ridderhood inspecting Bradley Headstone's red neckerchief as he lay asleep. I remember with devout thankfulness that I can never be much nearer parting company with my readers for ever than I was then until there shall be written against my life the two words with which I have this day closed this book—THE END.'

It is now strange to observe that just five years later, on the same day of the very same month, THE END came.


A CHANCE FOR BARGAINS IN CLOTHING.—A. Gilmore, Yates street, near Government, has commenced to sell off his entire stock of readymade clothing AT COST, to close out that branch of his business, as he intends to confine his attention to MERCHANT TAILORING. Garments of every description made to order in the most fashionable styles at greatly reduced prices. *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other brand manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony. *

HOLLOWAY'S OINTMENT AND PILLS.—Helpless and Hopeless.—No sufferers from external maladies have sunk beneath the chance of recovery till they have tried Holloway's renowned remedies, which exhibit the most unusual ability in eradicating all taints from the body, and the most wonderful power in setting up reparative, in place of destructive, action. Skin diseases, scrofulous complaints, and unsightly hereditary maladies yield to a course of Holloway's treatment, which cleanses the corrupt humors of the foulest cases, and steadily continues the work of reorganization and reconstruction until thorough soundness results. These Pills create a strong and evenly balanced appetite for food, and so improve the digestion and assimilation, that with the purifying process they simultaneously confer augmented strength and vigour. 52*

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SALE-ROOMS—Fireproof Stone Building, Wharf Street near Yates.

Liberal Advance made on Consignments

To Facilitate the Sale of REAL ESTATE we have Complete Maps of Victoria, Esquimalt, New Westminster and the Districts.

WE CALL PARTICULAR ATTENTION to the facilities of our CATTLE SALE YARD, centrally situated on Fort street. The best accomodations can be found for every class of Stock that may be offered for Sale. This Establishment is unsurpassed on the Pacific Coast.

N B.—Parties desirous of Selling their Stock, Stock in Trade or Furniture, and not wishing the trouble of an Auction Sale, can find a cash buyer by applying as above.

American Clock Company.

JUST RECEIVED—A CONSIGNMENT OF CLOCKS and Material, which we offer to the trade at Agents' Rates.

J P DAVIES & CO.

Eureka Broom Factory.

ON HAND—60 DOZ. NOS. 1, 2 & 3 BROOMS J P DAVIES & CO, Agents.

At Private Sale.

SOAPS—CASTILLE, IN BARS & CUTS, Merino, Chemical Olive, Fancy Toilet, and Extra Scented, 60 doz Oak Buckets and Tubs, American and English Straw Paper, Gold and Silver Watches, Jewelry, Handsome Gilt Parlor Clocks, French, Hall and Dining room Clocks, Vienna, 4, 5 & 6 hole Cruets, Cut Bottles, Salvers, Spoons and Cake Baskets, Revolvers in cases. jy19 J P DAVIES & CO, Agents.

Household Furniture SALE

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have been instructed by Mr WILLIAMSON to sell by Auction at his residence,

KANE ST, NEAR DOUGLAS,

Saturday, August 6th

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

All his well-kept FURNITURE, comprising

Bedroom Furniture,
Sitting Room Furniture,
Dining Room Furniture
Kitchen Furniture

ALSO

1 Large Newfoundland Bitch and 3 Pups;

J. P. DAVIES,
jy29 Auctioneer.

AUCTION

GENERAL SALE!

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

WILL SELL

At Salesrooms, Wharf st,

TO-MORROW

Monday, the 1st August

AT ELEVEN O'CLOCK, AM.,

Ladies and Gents side spring gaiters, Men's waxed brogans, cs Indian beads 1 fur press, damaged goods, briar root pipes, 5-hole cruets, tea spoons and forks gold and silver watches, Colt's revolvers in cases, linen dusters, umbrellas, bags, sundry jewelry, gimblets, assorted nats,

PLASTER OF PARIS,

6 Tom Thumb clocks
A few doz Shirts, balances
120 prs fine cassimere pants
9 nests blue tubs, to close

Musical spring tops, spring balances, pocket cutlery, 2 cs chickens, fancy colognes, serge overshirts, office chairs, twine and wrapping paper, honeysuckle perfumed SOAP

Blue and black beaver Pants

ALSO

17 pkgs Basket Tea,

ALSO—FURNITURE,

1 Bedstead, 3 Beds, 1 Bolster, 1 Lamp, 1 Chest Drawers.

ALSO

1 LARGE ORGAN, made in Prussia for Prince Maxsutoff, playing 36 Sacred, Operatic, Quadrille and Waltz Tunes.

1 Microscope,

Etc, Etc, Etc.

J. P. DAVIES,
jy26 Auctioneer

Auction Sales.

Condemned Stores!

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

Have received instructions from the Paymaster in charge to sell by public auction at the

NAVAL YARD, ESQUIMALT,

WEDNESDAY, 3d AUGUST, 1870,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

The following Condemned Stores:

180 cwt cordage paper stuff
5000 fathoms rounding
2 1-2 cwt old cast iron
44 cwt old wrought iron
47 cwt rags, canvas
14 1-4 cwt rags, canvas painted
18 3-4 cwt old coal sacks
3 cwt 2 qrs 19 lbs old hide
70 lbs horse hair, 40 lbs India rubber
125 iron casks of sises
41 iron bound casks of sises
28 oil tins, 2 spits, 1 spit fork, 26 lbs broken glass

—ALSO—

Condemned Biscuit, sugar, raisins cook's fat, empty casks, lime juice, cases and bottles, biscuit bags, old iron hoops old iron, seaman's condemned clothing, beds, blankets, wrappers, &c, &c.

☞ In addition to the price paid for the Goods the buyer will have to pay the Customs duty on the same

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From BURTON'S, Oxford street

Elegant Drawingroom Furniture
Sitting and Diningroom do
Modern Bedroom do
Elegant Tricord, Overstrung, 7 Octave Upright, Kirkman Pianoforte, in Rosewood Case. A splendid instrument
Cheval, Dressing and Mantel Looking Glasses
Brussels, Velvet Pile & Kidder Carpets
Silverware, Table Cutlery
Singer Sewing Machine
Green Damask and Lace Curtains, &
Full Service Cut Glassware.
Cornices
China Dessert and Tea Services
Oil Paintings and Engravings
Handsome Japan Vases and Ornaments
HALL & PARLOR CLOCKS
Hat Rack, Tea Trays and Work Table
Malakite Chairs, Books, Coal Hods
Occasional and Easy Chairs
Sofa Bedsteads
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Large amount of Kitchenware
Jellymoulds, Crockery, Preserving pans
Blankets, Counterpanes
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ALSO—First Class Pony Carriage
A nearly New Sleigh
Set Harness, 2 Lady's Saddles
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Ducks and Geese
1 First Class Milch Cow

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Deeds of purchase at buyer's expense.

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Tickets may be had of the Librarian, at the Institute; of Messrs Hibben & Co, and of the Members of the Committee.

jy17 T H. LONG, Hon. Secretary.

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JUST RECEIVED, PER "A P JORDAN" from Honolulu,

700 kegs No 1 and 2 SUGARS,
SUPERIOR MOLASSES.

For sale by
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AUCTIONEER, COMMISSION & REAL ESTATE AGENT,

BEGS TO ANNOUNCE THAT HE HAS taken the Fireproof Brick Building in Yates street nearly opposite Messrs. Wells, Fargo & Co.'s Express office. Having had eleven years' experience in the Auction business, he respectfully solicits a renewal of public Support. ma13

AUCTION

SALE OF

Household Furniture, Growing Crops, Cattle, Poultry, &c.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN

Has been instructed by the Rev. J. C. B. CAVE to sell at the Parsonage, South Saanich, on THURSDAY the 4th of August, 1870, at 12 o'clock, noon the whole of his Household Furniture and Effects, consisting of Drawing, Dining and Bedroom Furniture, Library Kitchen Utensils, ROSEWOOD PIANO by Nutting of London, maker to the Queen, Engravings, &c.

ALSO

1 Cow and Calf, Buggy, Harness, English Saddle, Pigs, Turkeys, Geese, Rabbits, Fowls, &c &c, and the Growing Crops of Oats, Potatoes, Carrots, &c.

Conveyances charging a low rate of fare will leave the Colonial Hotel on the morning of the sale at 8 o'clock, a.m.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
jy29 Auctioneer

AUCTION

SALE OF

Real Estate

PRELIMINARY NOTICE.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN will hold a sale of Real Estate at his Salesroom, Yates street, on FRIDAY, 5th of August, at 12 o'clock, noon, of Desirable City Property, with and without Improvements, and of Country Lands, cleared and timbered. Full particulars will be duly announced

LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
jy27 Auctioneer.

A Piano to be Raffled

AT THE ENGLISH BAZAAR, FORT Street, on SATURDAY the 30th July, at 7½ o'clock. TICKETS $1 EACH jy17

Information Wanted

OF THE WHEREABOUTS OF EDKAHN, 19 years old, has 1 st a jo nt of the right fore-finger, has black eyes and is tall and stout for his age. Last heard from at Victoria on the 12th April last, when he was bound for the Peace River Mines. Address jy12d&w WELLS, FARGO & CO'S, Office, Yates Street

Copartnership Notice.

MR JOHN H. BRODIE WAS ADMITTED, in London, as a Partner into our Firm on the sixth day of June last. In consequence thereof our business will, from this date, be carried on under the style or firm of

FINDLAY, DURHAM & BRODIE,

who will assume all the obligations of the present Firm, and receive and grant discharges for all sums due to them

Victoria, V I, July 19th, 1870. FINDLAY & DURHAM. jy19 2w

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REAL ESTATE & 250 PREFERRED Shares in the Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Company, Limited, Calls paid up.

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1st—The two several pieces of Land known as Lots numbered 50 & 51, situate near the Esquimalt road, Esquimalt district, with the good Dwelling House and Outbuildings thereon and excellent Garden, now in the occupation of Mr Mordaunt as monthly tenant.

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Queen Charlotte Coal Mining Co, Limited.

AN EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of the Shareholders of the Company will be held in the Council Chambers, corner of Broad Street and Trounce alley, Victoria, on Friday the 5th day of August next, at 1 o'clock, p.m. for the purpose of confirming the special resolutions passed at the Ordinary General Meeting held on Wednesday the 20th instant

J H GASTON, Sec'y

Victoria, July 28th, 1870 jy29

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These complaints are very common, and require no description, but it should be borne in mind that by inattention and neglect, they often end in more serious maladies. Give your thought to a derangement like Holloway's Pills fail to remove his celebrated Ointment over the pit of the stomach and you will shortly perceive a change for the better in your digestion, spirits, appetite, strength and energy. The improvement, though it may be gradual, will be thorough and lasting.

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| Colics | Indigestion | Worms of all kinds | Weakness |
| Constipation of the Bowels | Inflammation | Wounds of whatever kind | |
| Consumption | Jaundice | | |
| Debility | Liver Complaints | | |
| Dropsy | Lumbago | | |
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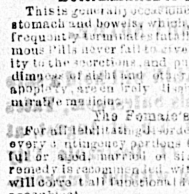
&c. &c.

Sold at the Establishment of Professor Holloway, 244 Strand (near Temple Bar), London, and by all respectable Druggists and Dealers in Medicine throughout the civilized world, at the following prices:—1s 1½d, 2s 9d, 4s 6d, 11s, 22s, and 33s each Box.

### Ayer's Cathartic Pills,

For all the purposes of a Cathartic Medicine.




Perhaps no one medicine is so universally required by everybody as a cathartic, nor was ever any before so universally adopted into use, in every country and among all classes, as this mild but efficient purgative *Pill*. The obvious reason is, that it is a more certain and far more effectual remedy than any other. Those who have tried it, know that it cures their neighbors and friends, and all know that what it does once it does always—that it never fails through any fault or neglect of its composition. We have thousands upon thousands of certificates of their remarkable cures of the following complaints, but such cures are known in every neighborhood, and we need not publish them. Adapted to all ages and conditions in all climates, containing neither calomel or any deleterious drug, they may be taken with safety by anybody. Their sugar coating preserves them perfectly sweet, which makes them pleasant to take, while being entirely vegetable no harm can arise from their use in any quantity.

They operate by their powerful influence on the internal viscera to purify the blood and stimulate it into healthy action—remove the obstructions of the stomach, bowels, liver, and other organs of the body, restoring their irregular action to health, and by correcting, wherever they exist, such derangements as are the first origin of disease.

Minute directions are given in the wrapper on the box, for the following complaints, which these *Pills* rapidly cure:—

For **Dyspepsia or Indigestion, Listlessness, Languor and Loss of Appetite**, they should be taken moderately to stimulate the stomach and restore its healthy tone and action.

For **Liver Complaint** and its various symptoms, **Bilious Headache, Sick Headache, Jaundice or Green Sickness, Bilious Colic and Bilious Fevers**, they should be judiciously taken for each case, to correct the diseased action or remove the obstructions which cause it.

For **Dysentery or Diarrhœa**, but one mild dose is generally sufficient.

For **Rheumatism, Gout, Gravel, Retention of the Urine, Pain in the Side, Back and Loins**, they should be continuously taken, as required, to change the diseased action of the system. With such change those complaints disappear.

For **Dropsy** and **Dropsical Swellings** they should be taken in large and frequent doses to produce the effect of a drastic purge.

For **Suppression** a large dose should be taken as it promotes the end for which it is designed.

As a *Dinner Pill*, take one or two *Pills* to promote digestion and relieve the stomach.

An occasional dose stimulates the stomach and bowels into healthy action, restores the appetite, and invigorates the system. Hence it is often advantageous where no serious derangement exists. One who feels tolerably well, often finds that a dose of these *Pills* makes him feel decidedly better, from their cleansing and renovating effect on the digestive apparatus.

*Prepared by J. C. AYER & CO., Practical Chemists,*
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### The Standard LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

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HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QUEENSBERRY, K. G.

DEPUTY GOVERNORS:
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF DALKEITH, M. P.
THE RIGHT HON. THE EARL OF STAIR, K. T.

PRINCIPAL OFFICES:
3 & 5 George Street, Edinburgh,
82 King William Street, } London,
3 Pall Mall, East, }
66 Upper Sackville Street, Dublin.

MANAGER AND ACTUARY:
WM. THOS. THOMSON, F. R. S. E.

COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY
D. CLUNIE GREGOR.

**Total amount of Invested Funds, £4,095 589 16 2.**

**Annual Revenue, £703,150 19 9**

AGENTS IN VICTORIA
ROBERT BURNABY,
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### ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL.....TEN BILLION DOLLARS

CHARLES TURNER, ESQ., M. P.....CHAIRMAN
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LOCAL BENEFITS—Special advantages.
LARGE PARTICIPATION IN PROFITS.
Exemption of Insured from liability to Partnership
Profits divided every five years.
Fees to Medical Referees paid by the Company.

FIRE BUSINESS—Prompt and Liberal settlement of Losses.

Loss and damage by explosion of gas made good.

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Wharf street.
AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA. mh20

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ORGANIZED.....1860.

CASH CAPITAL, - - - - - $125,000

POLICIES EXEMPT FROM EXECUTION.

ALL PROFITS PAID TO POLICY-HOLDERS.

Interest of Capital only to Stockholders.

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SECURELY INVESTED.

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Dividends paid one year from date of Policy.
All Policies and Dividends Non-Forfeitable.

Over 7000 Policies issued in 1869.

Total Income during Year, $1 800,000
Losses paid during Year, $168421.
Dividends paid during Year, $250,750.

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### Imperial Insurance COMPANY

Capital, - - - $10,000,000

MARINE BUILDINGS, WARREN, MERchandise, Ships, &c., against Loss or Damage by Fire.

### Pacific Insurance COMPANY

Capital and Cash Assets, - $1,639,928

INLAND CARGOES, TRANSMISSION, COMmissions and MARINE and Inland Navigation Risks.

### Travelers' Insurance COMPANY

Cash Assets over - - $1 000,000

INSURES AGAINST DEATH OR DISABLING injury by Accident in sums of $500 to $10 000 and $3 to $50 weekly Indemnity at an Annual Cost of $5 to $2.5 per $1000, according to hazard.

### CITY OF GLASGOW Life Assurance COMPANY

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**Women's and Children's Diseases.**

### Grimault's Syrup of Iodized Horse Radish.

Patronized for more than twenty years by the Paris Physicians. Cures lymphatism, rachitism, scrofula, congestion of the glands of the neck, paleness and flabbiness of the flesh, loss of appetite, weakness of constitution, the various eruptions on the face, boils, pimples, itchings,—It is the best remedy against the first stage of consumption, and it is the most powerful depurative known.

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(Doctor of Medicine.)

**SOLUBLE PHOSPHATE OF IRON.**

Clear as spring water and tasteless; has the advantage over all ferruginous preparations of containing Iron and Phosphorous, which are the elements of the blood. It cures chlorosis, pains in the stomach, difficult digestion, diseases of the skin, anæmia, general debility and poorness of the blood, and agrees especially with the most delicate stomachs.

**LUNG DISEASES.**

### Grimault's Syrup of Hypophosphite of Lime.

It is the best and the most rational of all remedies against consumption. Under its influence the cough abates, the night sweats cease, and the patient rapidly recovers health. It gives the same results in cases of coughs, catarrhs, hooping coughs and influenza. In comparing this syrup with the other sold under the same name, it will be easy to recognize the superiority of this preparation.

Therefore to avoid any substitution, please to require on the bottle the signature: Grimault and Co.

**NERVOUS HEADACHE and NEURALGIA.**

### GUARANA.

A single powder of this natural vegetable production is said to cure instantly the most violent sick headache. It is the most valuable remedy against diarrhœa.

**Digestive Powders, Pills & Elixir of**

### PEPSINE.

Of certain effect against nausea, pituite heart burn, gastralgia, gastritis, children's diarrhœa, inflammation of the mucous coats of the stomach and bowels, vomiting during pregnancy, jaundice, etc.

**NO MORE COPAIBA OR CUBEBS.**

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Where all other Medicines have failed, these preparations will always effect a cure. These insure rapid and extraordinary cure of severe, recent and chronic cases of private diseases. They are used in the Hospitals of Paris by the celebrated Dr Ricord, and are found greatly superior to all hitherto known mineral remedies and Copaiba and Cubebs. The injection is used in recent and capsules in the more chronic cases.

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This delicious preparation is always prescribed by the most reputed medical men in France, in cases of derangements of the digestive functions, such as gastritis, gastralgia, long and laborious digestions, wind in the stomach and bowels, constipation, jaundice and complaints of the liver and loins.

They are considered by physicians as being superior to the celebrated Vichy Lozenges.

### Largesse's Syrup & Paste

OF SEA PINE SAP.

These two preparations are invaluable and taken with the utmost success for consumption and the various diseases of the chest, hauting, nervous affections, painful digestions and impoverished blood; it is recognized as the best and most agreeable remedy

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## Medical.

### Ayer's Cherry Pectoral,

For Diseases of the Throat and Lungs, such as Coughs, Colds, Whooping Cough, Bronchitis, Asthma, and Consumption.

Probably never before in the whole history of medicine, has anything won so widely and so deeply upon the confidence of mankind, as this excellent remedy for pulmonary complaints. Through a long series of years, and among most of the races of men it has risen higher and higher in their estimation, as it has become better known. Its uniform character and power to cure the various affections of the lungs and throat, have made it known as a reliable protector against them. While adapted to milder forms of disease and to young children, it is at the same time the most effectual remedy that can be given for incipient consumption, and the dangerous affections of the throat and lungs. As a provision against sudden attacks of *Croup*, it should be kept on hand in every family, and indeed as all are sometimes subject to colds and coughs, all should be provided with this antidote for them.

Although settled *Consumption* is thought incurable, still great numbers of cases where the disease seemed settled, have been completely cured, and the patient restored to sound health by the *Cherry Pectoral*. So complete is its mastery over the disorders of the Lungs and Throat, that the most obstinate of them yield to it. When nothing else could reach them, under the *Cherry Pectoral* they subside and disappear.

*Singers and Public Speakers* find great protection from it.

*Asthma* is always relieved and often wholly cured by it.

*Bronchitis* is generally cured by taking the *Cherry Pectoral* in small and frequent doses.

So generally are its virtues known that we need not publish the certificates of them here, or do more than assure the public that its qualities are fully maintained.

### Ayer's Ague Cure,

For Fever and Ague, Intermittent Fever, Chill Fever, Remittent Fever, Dumb Ague, Periodical or Bilious Fever, &c., and indeed all the affections which arise from malarious, marsh, or miasmatic poisons.

As its name implies, it does *Cure*, and does not fail. Containing neither Arsenic, Quinine, Bismuth, Zinc, nor any other mineral or poisonous substance whatever, it in no-wise injures any patient. The number and importance of its cures in the ague districts, are literally beyond account, and we believe without a parallel in the history of Ague medicine. Our pride is gratified by the acknowledgments we receive of the radical cures effected in obstinate cases, and where other remedies had wholly failed.

Unacclimated persons, either resident in, or travelling through miasmatic localities, will be protected by taking the *AGUE CURE* daily.

For *Liver Complaints*, arising from torpidity of the Liver, it is an excellent remedy, stimulating the Liver into healthy activity.

For Bilious Disorders and Liver Complaints, it is an excellent remedy, producing many truly remarkable cures, where other medicines had failed.

Prepared by Dr. J. C. AYER & Co., Practical and Analytical Chemists, Lowell, Mass., and sold all round the world.

*PRICE, $1.00 PER BOTTLE.*

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For restoring Gray Hair to its natural Vitality and Color.

Answering which is at once agreeable, healthy, and effectual for preserving the hair. *Faded or gray hair is soon restored to its original color, with the gloss and freshness of youth.* This hair is thickened, falling hair checked, and baldness often, though not always, cured by its use. Nothing can restore the hair where the follicles are destroyed, or the glands atrophied and decayed. But such as remain can be saved for usefulness by this application. Instead of fouling the hair with a pasty sediment, it will keep it clean and vigorous. Its occasional use will prevent the hair from turning gray or falling off, and consequently prevent baldness. Free from those deleterious substances which make some preparations dangerous and injurious to the hair, the Vigor can only benefit but not harm it. If wanted merely for a

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nothing else can be found so desirable. Containing neither oil nor dye, it does not soil white cambric, and yet lasts long on the hair, giving it a rich glossy lustre and a grateful perfume.

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Free Orleans Coach from Steamers and Cars.

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## New Advertisements.

# THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,

ESTABLISHED 1825.

CONSTITUTED BY SPECIAL ACTS OF PARLIAMENT.

THE FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY was held at Edinburgh on Tuesday, the 26th April, 1870,

ANDREW WOOD, Esq, M D, in the Chair.

THE MANAGER submitted to the Meeting,—

The Annual Report of the Directors and Balance-Sheet of the Company's Affairs

The Annual Report on the Books and Accounts by the Auditor of the Company, certifying that he had found the whole Accounts accurately stated and properly vouched.

THE FOLLOWING ARE EXTRACTS FROM THE REPORT:—

THE PROGRESS OF THE COMPANY DURING THE PAST YEAR HAS BEEN of a very satisfactory character, and it is matter of congratulation that, during a period of great distrust and dissatisfaction in the Assurance world, the business of this Company has increased, not decreased.

THE NEW ASSURANCE TRANSACTIONS PROPOSED to the Company from 15th November 1868 to 15th November 1869, the Company's financial year, amounted to the large sum of £1,460 867, 2s. 9d., contained in 2026 Proposals—of which 407, for assuring £350 520 were not considered eligible, and declined.

THE NEW POLICIES ISSUED during the year were 1619 in number, and the assurances effected amounted to the large sum of £1,110,347 2s. 9d. the new Annual Premiums being £38 532, 2s 8d.

THE CLAIMS BY DEATH amounted to £322 117, 11s. 8d. the number of claims being 564; and the Bonus Additions to the Policies which became claims amounted to the further sum of £26 649, 10s 10d.

THE INCOME OF THE COMPANY received during the year ending 15th November 1869, amounted to £710,428 16s. 3.

THE INVESTED FUNDS, as shown on the Balance-Sheet, which follows, have reached the sum £4 284 648 7s. 3d.

THESE are the results of the year; but the following additional particulars as to the Company may also be interesting:—

THE NEW BUSINESS offered to the Company since the last Division of Profits in 1865—that is, in four years—has amounted to £5 652,481 12s 7d., the number of Proposals being 8758.

THE NEW POLICIES issued during the same period have been 7264, for Assurances to the amount of £4,532,414, 3s. 5d.

THE CLAIMS BY DEATH which the Company have met during the four years have amounted to £1,258,126, 4s. 6d. with Bonus Additions to the amount of £178 132, 5s. 7d.

AND

THE SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November 1869 were £16 345 419, 2s. 6d., of which £931,819, 12s was reassured with other Offices.

THE BALANCE-SHEET of the Company's Affairs, as at 15th November 1869 is as follows:—

BALANCE-SHEET OF THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE COMPANY,
AS AT 15TH NOVEMBER, 1869.

| LIABILITIES. | | | | ASSETS. | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Capital paid up | £ 120 000 | 0 | 0 | Mortgages on Landed Estate | £2,632,336 | 6 | 6 |
| Assurance Fund | 3,670,732 | 10 | 11 | Freehold and Leasehold Properties and Landed Estate | 276 523 | 4 | 10 |
| Annuity Fund | 228 058 | 1 | 3 | Loans on the Company's Policies (within the surrender Value thereof) | 213 268, | 13 | 1 |
| Reversionary Transactions | 71,500 | 0 | 0 | Indian Government Securities | 57 933 | 10 | 10 |
| Claims admitted but not yet due | 167 257 | 16 | 2 | Canadian Government Securities | 18,168 | 15 | 0 |
| Amount held on Deposit in connection with uncompleted transactions | 16 795 | 10 | 5 | Invested abroad in connection with Colonial Insurances | 3 ,961 | 13 | 11 |
| Dividends outstanding | 1 804 | 8 | 6 | Stocks of Scottish Chartered Banks | 39,742 | 15 | 8 |
| | | | | Bankway Debentures, Debenture Stock and Preference Stocks | 24,154 | 8 | 4 |
| | | | | Life Interests, Reversions, and Annuities purchased | 277 319 | 4 | |
| | | | | Loans upon Personal security in connection with Policies | 77,189 | | |
| | | | | Premiums in course of collection at Head Office and Agencies | 43,235 | 1 | |
| | | | | Proportion of Interest current | 174,930 | 18 | |
| | | | | Arr.—On Deposit with Bankers £14 829 14 7 | 26 245 | 4 | |
| | | | | On Current account with Bankers 69 979 19 0 | 84 809 | 13 | |
| | | | | Value of Re-assurances with other companies | 244 406 | 16 | 1 |
| | | | | Other Assets | 66,440 | 11 | |
| | £4 284 648 | 7 | 3 | | £4 284,648 | 7 | |

THIS BALANCE-SHEET shows distinctly how the Funds of the Company are invested; and a Special Committee has been appointed to examine and report on each separate transaction, preparatory to the Declaration of Profits next year. That this report will be one of unqualified approval the Directors have every confidence, as the same principles have regulated their selection of investments as in former years, and they feel satisfied that the professional gentlemen who have agreed to undertake the duty will be able to report in as favorable terms as the Committee of 1865, the period of last investigation.

THE EIGHTH DIVISION OF PROFITS

falls to be made as at 15th November, 1870. The necessary Investigation which precedes the declaration of Profits has been in progress for some time, and the Directors hope to be able to submit their Report early in 1871

THE CLOSE OF THE PRESENT BONUS PERIOD ON 15TH NOVEMBER, 1870,

Persons assuring before that date being entitled to a share in the division of Profits to be made in 1871, which will include the whole divisible profits which have arisen since 15th November, 1865.

GUARANTEED SURRENDER VALUES.

The Directors have adopted FIXED SURRENDER VALUES, as fully stated in Report.

The Report having been unanimously approved of—The Establishment of the Company, after filling up vacancies in the usual manner, was arranged as follows for the ensuing year:

GOVERNOR—HIS GRACE THE DUKE OF BUCCLEUCH AND QEEENSBERRY, K. G.

DEPUTY-GOVERNORS—{ THE RIGHT HON THE EARL OF DALKEITH
" { THE RIGHT HON THE EARL OF STAIR, K T.

EDINBURGH, 3 AND 5, GEORGE STREET.

ORDINARY DIRECTORS.

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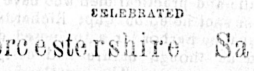

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